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The above-identified application falls within the provisions of § 1.129(a) since it was filed on June 5, 1995, and has an effective U.S. priority date of September 28, 1990. The request for withdrawal is timely and accompanied by the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(r).

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2000, and the Advisory Action mailed February 7, 2001, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

AMENDMENTS

In the claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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66. (Amended) A vector comprising two copies of a gene encoding a filamentous bacteriophage coat protein, one copy of said gene being operationally linked to a DNA sequence encoding a polypeptide of a heteromeric receptor, said DNA sequence being expressed as a polypeptide of a fusion protein comprising said heteromeric receptor on the surface of said filamentous bacteriophage or as a soluble polypeptide.

H2  
71. (Amended) A vector comprising sequences necessary for the coexpression of two or more inserted DNA sequences encoding polypeptides which form heteromeric receptors and two copies of a gene encoding a filamentous bacteriophage coat